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Procedure for Design of Doubly Reinforced Beams for Moment

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1. Assume that $d = h - 4$ in.
2. Establish the total design moment M_u .
3. Check if a doubly reinforced beam is necessary. From tables for coefficient of resistance (Table 1, Tables A-7 to A-11, Textbook), obtain the maximum \bar{k} and compute maximum ϕM_n for a singly reinforced beam:

$$\text{maximum } \phi M_n = \phi b d^2 \bar{k}$$

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Sample Values

Table 1.
Coefficient of Resistance

Table A-10 Textbook

ρ	\bar{k}
0.0010	0.0595
0.0011	0.0654
0.0012	0.0712
0.0013	0.0771
0.0014	0.0830
0.0015	0.0888
0.0016	0.0946
0.0017	0.1005
0.0018	0.1063
0.0019	0.1121
0.0020	0.1179
0.0021	0.1237



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- If $\phi M_n < M_u$, design the beam as a doubly reinforced beam. If $\phi M_n \geq M_u$, the beam can be designed as a beam reinforced with tension steel only.

For a Doubly Reinforced Beam

- Provide a concrete-steel couple having the steel ratio

$$\rho = 0.9\rho_{\max} = 0.9(0.75\rho_b)$$



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with this value of ρ , enter the appropriate table and determine \bar{k} .

6. Determine the moment capacity of the concrete-steel couple:

$$\phi M_{n1} = \phi b d^2 \bar{k}$$

Find the steel required for the concrete-steel couple:

$$\text{required } A_{s1} = \rho b d$$



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7. Find the remaining moment that must be resisted by the steel-steel couple:

$$\text{required } \phi M_{n2} = M_u - \phi M_{n1}$$

8. Considering the steel-steel couple, find the required compressive force in the steel (assume that $d' = 3$ in.):

$$N_{c2} = \frac{\phi M_{n2}}{\phi (d - d')}$$



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9. Since $N_{C2} = A'_s f'_s$, compute f'_s so that may eventually be determined. This can be accomplished by using the neutral-axis location of the concrete-steel couple and checking the strain in the compression steel with ε_y . Thus

$$a = \frac{A_{s1} f_y}{0.85 f'_c b}$$



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$$c = \frac{a}{\beta_1} \quad \varepsilon_y = \frac{f_y}{E_s} = \frac{f_y}{29 \times 10^6}$$

$$\varepsilon'_s = \frac{0.003(c - d')}{c}$$

If $\varepsilon'_s \geq \varepsilon_y$, the compressive steel has yielded at the ultimate moment and

$f'_s = f_y$. If $\varepsilon'_s < \varepsilon_y$, then calculate

$$f'_s = \varepsilon'_s E_s$$



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10. Since $N_{C2} = A'_s f'_s$,

$$\text{required } A'_s = \frac{N_{C2}}{f'_s}$$

11. Determine the required A_{s2} :

$$A_{s2} = \frac{f'_s A'_s}{f_y}$$

12. Find the total tension steel required:

$$A_s = A_{s1} + A_{s2}$$



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13. Select the compressive steel, A'_s .

14. Select the tensile steel, A_s . Check the required beam width. Preferably, place the bars in one layer.

15. Check the actual d and compare it with the assumed d . If the actual d is slightly in excess of the assumed d , the design will be slightly conservative (on the safe side). If the actual d is less



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than the assumed d , the design may be on the unconservative side and an analysis and possibly revision should be considered.

16. Sketch the detailed design.



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■ Example 1

Design a rectangular reinforced concrete beam to resist a total design moment M_u of 780 ft-kips (this includes the moment due to the weight of the beam). The beam size is limited to 15 in. maximum width and 30 in. maximum overall depth. Use $f'_c = 3000$ psi and $f_y = 60,000$ psi. If compressive steel is required, make $d' = 2.5$ in.



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Assume that $d = 30 - 4 = 26$ in.

Given:

$$f'_c = 3 \text{ ksi}, \quad f_y = 60 \text{ ksi}, \quad \text{and} \quad M_u = 780 \text{ ft - kips}$$

– For singly reinforced beam:

- Max $\rho = 0.0161$ (Table 2, Table A-5, Text)
- Therefore, $\bar{k} = 0.7831$ ksi (Table 3, Table A-8, Text)

$$\phi M_{n1} = \phi b d^2 \bar{k} = \frac{0.9(15)(26)^2(0.7831)}{12} = 595.6 \text{ ft - kips}$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Table A-5 Textbook

Table 2
Design Constants

Value used
in example

f'_c (psi)	$\left[\frac{3\sqrt{f'_c}}{f_y} \geq \frac{200}{f_y} \right]$	$\rho_{\max} = 0.75 \rho_b$	Recommended Design Values	
			ρ_b	\bar{k} (ksi)
$F_y = 40,000$ psi				
3,000	0.0050	0.0278	0.0135	0.4828
4,000	0.0050	0.0372	0.0180	0.6438
5,000	0.0053	0.0436	0.0225	0.8047
6,000	0.0058	0.0490	0.0270	0.9657
$F_y = 50,000$ psi				
3,000	0.0040	0.0206	0.0108	0.4828
4,000	0.0040	0.0275	0.0144	0.6438
5,000	0.0042	0.0324	0.0180	0.8047
6,000	0.0046	0.0364	0.0216	0.9657
$F_y = 60,000$ psi				
3,000	0.0033	0.0161	0.0090	0.4828
4,000	0.0035	0.0214	0.0120	0.6438
5,000	0.0035	0.0252	0.0150	0.8047
6,000	0.0039	0.0283	0.0180	0.9657
$F_y = 75,000$ psi				
3,000	0.0027	0.0116	0.0072	0.4828
4,000	0.0027	0.0155	0.0096	0.6438
5,000	0.0028	0.0182	0.0120	0.8047
6,000	0.0031	0.0206	0.0144	0.9657



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Table 3. Steel Ratio Versus Coefficient of Resistance
for $f'_c = 3,000$ psi and $f_y = 60,000$ psi

ρ	\bar{k}	ρ	\bar{k}	ρ	\bar{k}
0.0082	0.4446	0.0118	0.6098	0.0154	0.7567
0.0083	0.4494	0.0119	0.6141	0.0155	0.7605
0.0084	0.4542	0.0120	0.6184	0.0156	0.7643
0.0085	0.4590	0.0121	0.6227	0.0157	0.7681
0.0086	0.4638	0.0122	0.6270	0.0158	0.7719
0.0087	0.4686	0.0123	0.6312	0.0159	0.7756
0.0088	0.4734	0.0124	0.6355	0.0160	0.7794
0.0089	0.4781	0.0125	0.6398	0.0161	0.7831
0.0090	0.4828	0.0126	0.6440	0.0162	0.7868
0.0091	0.4876	0.0127	0.6482	0.0163	0.7905

Values used in example



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Since $(\phi M_n = 595.6 \text{ ft-k}) < (M_u = 780 \text{ ft-k})$

Design the beam as doubly reinforced

For concrete-steel couple:

$$\text{Use } \rho = 0.9 (\rho_{\max}) = 0.9 (0.0161) = 0.0145$$

Therefore,

$$\bar{k} = 0.7216 \text{ ksi (from Table 4, Table A-8, Text)}$$

and

$$\phi M_{n1} = \phi b d^2 \bar{k} = \frac{0.9(15)(26)^2(0.7216)}{12} = 549 \text{ ft - kips}$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Table 4. Steel Ratio Versus Coefficient of Resistance for $f_c = 3,000$ psi and $f_y = 60,000$ psi

ρ	\bar{k}	ρ	\bar{k}	ρ	\bar{k}
0.0104	0.5477	0.0140	0.7017	0.0176	0.8374
0.0105	0.5522	0.0141	0.7057	0.0177	0.8409
0.0106	0.5567	0.0142	0.7097	0.0178	0.8444
0.0107	0.5612	0.0143	0.7137	0.0179	0.8479
0.0108	0.5657	0.0144	0.7177	0.0180	0.8514
0.0109	0.5702	0.0145	0.7216	0.0181	0.8548
0.0110	0.5746	0.0146	0.7256	0.0182	0.8583
0.0111	0.5791	0.0147	0.7295	0.0183	0.8617
0.0112	0.5835	0.0148	0.7334	0.0184	0.8651
0.0113	0.5879	0.0149	0.7373	0.0185	0.8685

Values used in example



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

$$\text{required } A_{s1} = \rho b d = 0.0145(15)(26) = 5.66 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\text{required } \phi M_{n2} = M_u - \phi M_{n1} = 780 - 549 = 231 \text{ ft-kips}$$

$$d' = 2.5 \text{ in. (given)}$$

– Therefore, the required force for the steel-steel couple is

$$N_{c2} = \frac{\phi M_{n2}}{\phi(d - d')} = \frac{12 \times 231}{0.9(26 - 2.5)} = 131 \text{ kips}$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

- Check compression steel stress:

$$a = \frac{A_s f_y}{0.85 f'_c b} = \frac{5.66(60)}{0.85(3)(15)} = 8.88 \text{ in.}$$

- Thus, c can be calculated as follows:

$$a = \beta_1 c \Rightarrow c = \frac{a}{\beta_1} = \frac{8.88}{0.85} = 10.45 \text{ in.}$$

See Eq. 1 (next slide)

- and

$$\epsilon'_s = \frac{0.003(c - d')}{c} = \frac{0.003(10.45 - 2.5)}{10.45} = 0.00228$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

- The value of β_1 may be determined from the following equation:

$$\beta_1 = \begin{cases} 0.85 & \text{for } f'_c \leq 4,000 \text{ psi} \\ 1.05 - 5 \times 10^{-5} f'_c & \text{for } 4,000 \text{ psi} < f'_c \leq 8,000 \text{ psi} \\ 0.65 & \text{for } f'_c > 8,000 \text{ psi} \end{cases} \quad (1)$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

- The yield strain of steel can be computed as

$$\varepsilon_y = \frac{f_y}{E_s} = \frac{60,000}{29 \times 10^6} = 0.00207$$

- Since ($\varepsilon'_s = 0.00228$) > ($\varepsilon_y = 0.00207$), the compressive steel has yielded at the ultimate moment and

$$f'_s = f_y.$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

- Since $N_{C2} = A'_s f'_s = A'_s f_y$,

$$\text{required } A'_s = \frac{N_{C2}}{f_y} = \frac{131}{60} = 2.18 \text{ in}^2$$

- Select steel bars:

- Use 2 #10 ($A'_s = 2.54 \text{ in}^2$) for compression rebars.

$$A_s = A_{s1} + A_{s2} = 5.66 + 2.18 = 7.84 \text{ in}^2$$

- Use 8 #9 ($A_s = 8.00 \text{ in}^2$) for tension rebars in two layers.



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Table 5. Areas of Multiple of Reinforcing Bars (in²)

Number of bars	Bar number								
	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11
1	0.11	0.20	0.31	0.44	0.60	0.79	1.00	1.27	1.56
2	0.22	0.40	0.62	0.88	1.20	1.58	2.00	2.54	3.12
3	0.33	0.60	0.93	1.32	1.80	2.37	3.00	3.81	4.68
4	0.44	0.80	1.24	1.76	2.40	3.16	4.00	5.08	6.24
5	0.55	1.00	1.55	2.20	3.00	3.95	5.00	6.35	7.80
6	0.66	1.20	1.86	2.64	3.60	4.74	6.00	7.62	9.36
7	0.77	1.40	2.17	3.08	4.20	5.53	7.00	8.89	10.92
8	0.88	1.60	2.48	3.52	4.80	6.32	8.00	10.16	12.48
9	0.99	1.80	2.79	3.96	5.40	7.11	9.00	11.43	14.04
10	1.10	2.00	3.10	4.40	6.00	7.90	10.00	12.70	15.60

Table A-2 Textbook



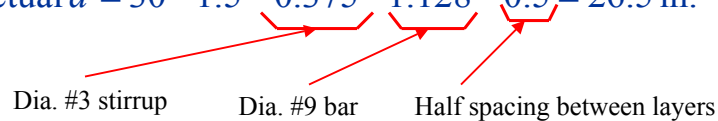
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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

- Check the ACI Code requirements for minimum width of 4 #9 bars in one layer:

From Table 6, min $b = 12.0$ in < 15 in. **OK**

$$\text{Actual } d = 30 - 1.5 - 0.375 - 1.128 - 0.5 = 26.5 \text{ in.}$$



$$(\text{actual } d = 26.5") > (\text{assumed } d = 26.0") \quad \mathbf{OK}$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Table 6. Minimum Required Beam Width, b (in.)

Number of bars	Bar number							
	# 3 and #4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11
2	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.5	7.0	7.5	8.0	8.0
3	7.5	8.0	8.0	8.5	9.0	9.5	10.5	11.0
4	9.0	9.5	10.0	10.5	11.0	12.0	13.0	14.0
5	10.5	11.0	11.5	12.5	13.0	14.0	15.5	16.5
6	12.0	12.5	13.5	14.0	15.0	16.5	18.0	19.5
7	13.5	14.5	15.0	16.0	17.0	18.5	20.5	22.5
8	15.0	16.0	17.0	18.0	19.0	21.0	23.0	25.0
9	16.5	17.5	18.5	20.0	21.0	23.0	25.5	28.0
10	18.0	19.0	20.5	21.5	23.0	25.5	28.0	31.0

Table A-3 Textbook



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Table 7. ASTM Standard - English Reinforcing Bars

Bar Designation	Diameter in	Area in ²	Weight lb/ft
#3 [#10]	0.375	0.11	0.376
#4 [#13]	0.500	0.20	0.668
#5 [#16]	0.625	0.31	1.043
#6 [#19]	0.750	0.44	1.502
#7 [#22]	0.875	0.60	2.044
#8 [#25]	1.000	0.79	2.670
#9 [#29]	1.128	1.00	3.400
#10 [#32]	1.270	1.27	4.303
#11 [#36]	1.410	1.56	5.313
#14 [#43]	1.693	2.25	7.650
#18 [#57]	2.257	4.00	13.60

Note: Metric designations are in brackets



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

$$\text{Actual } d' = 1.5 + 0.375 - \frac{1.27}{2} = 2.51 \text{ in.} \quad \text{OK}$$

Dia. #3 stirrup

Half Dia. of #10 bar

– Check steel ductility:

$$\rho \frac{A_{s1}}{bd} = \frac{8.00 - 2.54}{15(26.5)} = 0.0137$$

$$(\rho = 0.0137) < (\rho_{\max} = 0.0161) \quad \text{OK}$$



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■ Example 1 (cont'd)

Final Detailed Sketch:

